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SUBJECT: PROPOSED PROCEDURES FOR CONDITIONAL ENTRY PROCESS-
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1. DEPARTMENT HAS DISCUSSED PROPOSED PROCEDURES FOR CON-
DITIONAL ENTRY PROCESSING FOR INDOCHINESE REFUGEE BOAT
CASES WITH VOLUNTARY AGENCIES IN SOME DETAIL SINCE WE WILL
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BE RELYING ON THE VOLUNTARY AGENCIES FOR DOCUMENTATION
ASSISTANCE AND RELATED SERVICES TO THE REFUGEES. WE HAVE
DESCRIBED THE EXTENSIVE PRE-SCREENING WHICH WE ENVISAGE AS
PRELIMINARY TO THE REFUGEES' MOVEMENT TO HONG KONG AND HAVE
SUGGESTED THAT, IN PRACTICAL TERMS, THE REFUGEES CAN BE
REGARDED AS "IN TRANSIT" WHILE IN HONG KONG. WE HAVE NOT
ALLUDED TO AGREEMENT BY HKG FOR PROVIDING RETURN DOCUMENT-

ATION.

2. OF COURSE WE WISH TO HONOR CONGEN AGREEMENT WITH HKG
THAT THEIR ROLE BE KEPT IN BACKGROUND BUT WE DO NOT SEE
HOW IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE TO PROCESS CONDITIONAL ENTRY
REFUGEES THROUGH HONG KONG WITHOUT IT BECOMING KNOWN.

DEPARTMENT WOULD WELCOME FURTHER COMMENT AND ADVICE FROM
CONGEN ON THIS POINT.
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